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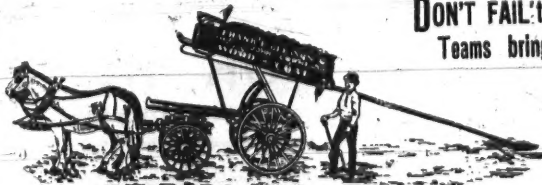
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LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

Abbot academy opened yesterday.

Andover vs. Boston College tomorrow at 3.30.

Henry Berdeau is now employed as hostler by Valpey Bros.

Miss Alice Dean fell, breaking her leg in three places, last Sunday.

Harry F. Holt of the Harvard Medical school, has been in town this week.

Gus Remington of Boston, spent Tuesday night in Andover with friends.

Andover plays Williams next Tuesday afternoon and Dartmouth, Thursday.

J. P. Wakefield is building a shed in connection with his stable on Maple avenue.

Miss Genevieve Magee of Duxbury, has been the guest of Miss Avis Booth this week.

E. R. Eastman will move his barber shop to Park street in the store next to E. C. Pike's, about May 1st.

Miss Mary Means has been in town for a few days this week, stopping with Miss Kate Roberts, Abbot street.

Miss Helene Baldwin of Morton street, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Thomas, on Staten Island recently.

"King Dodo" at the Opera house, Lawrence, on Tuesday evening, attracted a good attendance from Andover.

Mrs. Burnham's dancing class reception at Saunders' hall, Lawrence, Tuesday evening, was attended by Andover people.

The Lawrence Gas company have asked the selectmen for additional locations for extensions of mains and service pipes.

The Lawrence Canoe club banquet at the Franklin house, Lawrence, on Monday evening, was attended by several from Andover.

George Upton, clerk at Valpey Bros.' market, was taken suddenly ill last Monday night with peritonitis, and is still in a critical condition.

Charles L. White superintendent of Marland mills, who has been absent on a trip to Toronto, Can., for the past ten days is expected home tomorrow.

Members of St. Matthews lodge, A. F. and A. M., visited Phoenixian lodge, Lawrence, Wednesday evening. Higgins' barge furnished the conveyance.

E. V. N. Hitchcock is moving from the house recently occupied by him on Elm street, across the street to the house recently occupied by Mrs. Robt. Hill.

Punchard will play the alumni in baseball tomorrow morning on the Punchard campus at 9 o'clock. On Tuesday, Punchard will play Reading high on the home grounds.

The dog licenses are now falling due so that owners of canines will be doing themselves a good turn and saving themselves considerable inconvenience, should they attend to the matter at once.

Superintendent of Schools C. F. Palmer delivered an illustrated lecture before the Boys' club of the Guild on Monday evening. Refreshments were served during the evening. In all, there were about 25 present.

The Recreation club was entertained by Dr. and Mrs. Albert E. Holme at their home on Main street, last Friday evening. The ladies prize was won by Mrs. Fred W. Higgins and the gentlemen's by Frank E. Gleason. Refreshments were served.

A number of young people from town will attend the final subscription party for the season, of a series which have been given in Lawrence for several winters by the Misses Allison, Mac Farlin and Crosby. The party comes this evening in Saunders' hall.

Pres. Harris of Amherst college announced last Friday two gifts to Amherst college, one of \$1000 from Warren F. Draper of this place of the class of '47 for a scholarship, and another of \$15000 from a former member of the class of 1870 to increase the endowment for assistant professors and instructors.

The Ballardvale Whist club of which Alexander T. Dundas is a member met at his house on Summer street last Friday evening. Three tables were played. The club has met every week for the past two months and at the close of the season prizes will be awarded. Refreshments were served.

The smoke talk and clam bake under the auspices of the Cricket club will be held next Friday evening in the club house on the Cricket field. A large attendance is anticipated. The committee in charge are arranging for a pleasant evening. An entertainment will be given, consisting of vocal and instrumental music and stereopticon views. Games of cards, checkers and dominoes will also be played. Squam river clams, from Gloucester, fresh and succulent, will be served. Tickets may be procured from members of the club at twenty-five cents apiece.

Other Andover News on Page 8

Robert S. Lindsay of Lowell, visited in town Wednesday.

The time for the annual May breakfast is fast approaching.

The Post Office will be open the usual holiday hours on Saturday, April 19.

Twenty plants for one dollar at George Piddington's. Panicles may be obtained at a bargain.

Timothy Cullinane of the Harvard Medical school has been spending his vacation at his home in town.

Miss Sadie Piddington played the organ at the Baptist church Sunday, as there was no service at the Methodist church, North Andover.

Rev. Moses K. Cross, who died at Waterville, Me., recently in his 90th year, was a student in Phillips academy nearly seventy years ago in 1833.

Work will be begun on remodeling the Town house before long. The committee ask for bids, as will be seen by an ad. in today's issue of the Townsman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones of East Boston, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. F. H. Ladd, left Wednesday for their summer home in Westport, Me.

Phillips academy closes tomorrow, Patriot's day. All the mills, most of the stores and other places of business in town will be closed tomorrow all or part of the day.

Postmaster Bliss announces that a schedule of steamers appointed to convey the U. S. mails for foreign countries, will be found at the Post-office on and after date, revised every month.

Rev. C. P. Osborne, field secretary of the Boston Seaman's Friend society, will address the Society of Inquiry of Andover seminary, Thursday evening, April 24, at 7.30, in Bartlet chapel. His subject will be "The Sailor and His Friends." The public are cordially invited.

The Woman's Auxiliary of foreign missions of the Seminary church will meet on Tuesday, April 22, at Bartlet chapel at 8 o'clock. Subject, fifth chapter in Via Cristi. The offerings for the India famine orphan fund are requested at this meeting.

The selectmen purchased a new pair of handsome black horses weighing 1440 and 1450 lbs. from Nokes of Reading, Tuesday, exchanging for them as part of the purchase price the old engine pair Tom and Jerry, which has lately been kept at the Town farm. The new pair will go to the Ballardvale engine house while the ones which have been there are to be used at the Town farm. The new pair are handsome looking animals.

W. A. Schick Jr., made a fine showing at the track games at Harvard last Friday. His best time in the 100 yard dash was 10 seconds flat, altho' two of the watches caught him slightly better than that. In the 220 yd dash, Schick made a new Harvard record of 21 4-5 sec. lowering the old record of 22 sec. The time in this event was taken from the slowest watch, one of the others catching him at 21 2-5 sec., the other at 21 3-5 sec. The world's record in this event is 21 1-5 sec. made in 1886.

The Phillips Exeter athletic association has voted to defer until next year the building of a new track house on the campus. It has given its sanction to the academy golf club to represent the school in a match with the similar club at Andover. An adopted amendment of the constitution allows the football, baseball, track and tennis managers to wear a plain "E" on their caps. A proposed amendment to permit the gymnasium team to add an "E" to the authorized "G. T." was rejected.

The Hasty Pudding Club of Harvard will give a matinee performance of this year's show in Copley Hall, Clarendon street, Boston, on Saturday, May 3rd, at 2.15 p. m. The play is called "Hi-Ka-Ya." The music has been written by Malcolm Lang, '02, a son of the Boston musician, Mr. B. J. Lang. The plot deals with the adventures of a college geological party in Spudgingevic, a town near the North Pole. A limited number of reserved seat tickets are on sale at the Andover Bookstore. The price is \$1.50 each.

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BALLARDVALE.

Ballardvale Churches.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. Edwin Smith, Pastor. Services for Sunday, Apr. 20.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor.
Sunday school to follow.
3.00 p. m. Meeting of Juniors.
6.00 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E.
7.00 p. m. Praise service with address by pastor. Subject, "Am I a Christian?" If so, why?
7.30 p. m. Thursday evening prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. B. A. Crampton, pastor. Services for Sunday, Apr. 20.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor.
Sunday school to follow.
6.00 p. m. Epworth League Meeting.
7.00 p. m. Praise service with address by the pastor.
7.30 p. m. Friday evening prayer meeting.

James Clinton spent Sunday with relatives in the Village.

James Buckley of Methuen spent Saturday with friends in the Vale.

Already seven canoes have been stored in Dr. C. H. Shattuck's boat-house.

Thomas Riley of Westboro, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Riley.

William Morrison of Lawrence spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mary Morrison.

Rev. B. A. Crampton, the new Methodist minister, will conduct the prayer this evening.

Miss Julia Cullinane and Miss Edith Higgins of Andover, spent Sunday with friends in the Village.

Mrs. James Stocks, and Mrs. Jennette Allen of Haverhill, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wight of Malden were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Manly Barber, Tewksbury street.

A number of Vale people attended the Methodist conference recently held in Boston. They all report interesting meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lowe and son, Everett, of Providence, R. I., have been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Mary S. Lowe, Highland street.

The Congregational Ladies' Aid society will hold its annual fair in Bradley hall, Wednesday evening, Apr. 20. Full particulars in next week's paper.

The Ballardvale Brotherhood has organized a baseball club and is desirous of games for Saturday afternoons and holidays. Address, Foster Matthews, manager.

Driver John Haggerty is proud of the fine new span of black horses that have been purchased for the use of the fire department. They are six and seven years old and weigh 1450 and 1440 pounds, respectively.

Dr. C. H. Shattuck is having the ceiling of his store sheathed with oak and the walls painted. He will also have the store rewired and have quite a number of additional electric lights, including several colored ones in his window. Herbert Clark is doing the carpenter work.

At the meeting of Ballard Vale lodge, No. 105, the following named persons were elected delegates and alternates to the annual session of Essex District lodge, which meets at Salem, Saturday, April 19. Delegates—Miss Mary A. Fessenden, Mrs. J. H. Smith, Miss Lizzie E. Salmon, Daniel H. Poiré; alternates—Miss Gertrude Newcomb, Miss M. Louise Hammond, Miss Emma Abercrombie, and Albert Greenwood. One new member was initiated.

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COUNTY NEWS.

Haverhill is engaged in laying out a park for the children.

Haverhill is to have a new electric company with prospects of cheaper rates.

Alice Drew, a young girl of Newburyport, stole a \$10 hat from a millinery store in that city.

Manuel Fraga of the sloop Laura Enos was lost at sea, the last trip. He was a citizen of Gloucester.

Charles Day and William Galvin Haverhill boys have confessed to the larceny of bicycles in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis W. Jacobs of Haverhill celebrated the 50th anniversary of their marriage Sunday.

William B. Beede, 39 Boardman street, Salem, is a victim of smallpox and was taken to the contagious hospital yesterday.

Under the new ordinances, Gloucester's police force is to have a sergeant, and Officer W. L. Andrews is slated for the berth.

Lizzie Higgins, 28, of Lynn, attempted suicide by drinking corrosive sublimate Sunday night. It was caused by a love affair.

A lad named Maddocks was shot and seriously injured by boys who carelessly handled a Florent rifle on the street in Newburyport, Saturday.

Cedric Robb leads in the brown tail moth contest in Salem. He has brought in 4102. The total number of pests brought in up to yesterday is 52,533.

River street bridge at Haverhill has been rendered unsafe by the recent high water, and will have to be rebuilt. It has been closed to travel.

John Morrill, one of Amesbury's oldest residents, observed his 89th birthday Sunday. A delegation from Warren lodge of Freemasons, called during the day and presented a floral piece.

John M. Carter of Newburyport aged 55 years, died Saturday night of pneumonia. He was born in Newburyport and was a confectioner by trade, dying at a few weeks ago. He leaves a widow.

Louis W. Prevost, of Salem, brakeman on shifter #2, was killed instantly about 7.15 yesterday morning on the railroad near Carletonville station. Mr. Prevost was riding on the forward end of the engine, carrying the red flag in his hand. He fell off and was instantly killed.

Frank Pelletier, 64 Congress street, Salem was released from custody late Saturday afternoon by Immigration Commissioner. Billings at Boston. Pelletier left Portland, Me., in charge of cattle on the steamer Turcoman, and overstayed his time in England. He stowed away on the steamer Devon, which arrived in Boston last Thursday.

Bartholomew O'Leary, alias Frank Sullivan of Worcester, the express wagon thief, completed a six months' term of imprisonment at Salem jail, yesterday, but he was not given freedom as he was wanted in Worcester, and a warrant was at the jail and was served immediately at the expiration of the term.

A crowd numbering some 300 persons watched Joe Willard, a lineal descendant of the Boston & Northern railroad, rescue a cat from the limb of a tree on Federal street, Salem, opposite the court house, about 6 o'clock Monday evening. It seems this black and white kitten was playing in the street in the afternoon when a dog came along and chased the poor kitten, and up the tree she went.

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"Ah!" I thought unto myself, "there is Joe Simmons, whom I don't like. I'll watch him, and if I see him look out his book I'll tell the teacher."

"It was not long until I saw Joe look out his book and I went up at once to tell the master."

"Indeed," said he, "how did you know he was idle?"

"I saw him," said I.

"You saw him? And were your eyes on your book when you saw him?"

"I was caught and the other boys laughed and I never watched for idle boys again."

If we watch over our conduct and try to keep it right, and always do our duty we will not have time to watch for faults or idleness in others. This will keep us out of mischief and make us helpful to others.

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Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles." Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by Arthur Bliss. Price 50c and \$1.00 Trial bottles free.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

Friday.

Eugene F. Ware, lawyer at Topeka, Kan., post and soldier, to succeed H. Clay Evans as pension commissioner—Lawson leaves the stand, having finished the testimony in the Bennett case—Statement made that England will use bullet and bayonet to down Irish league—Gen. Wade Hampton, noted Confederate general and leader of cavalry, twice governor and U. S. senator dies at Columbia, S. C.—Rear-admiral Farquhar retired after long and distinguished service.

Saturday

A new basis of peace said to have been proposed by the Boers which would make them junior partners of the British and give them practically an American constitution—Ware will begin soon as pension commissioner not waiting until Evans gets new appointment; vacancies expected in Germany, Spain and Italy—American launch seized and one of crew killed by Cuban insurgents; U. S. cruiser gone to recover it.

Sunday

Maj. Waller found not guilty of charge of killing natives in Samar without trial—London takes heart over new indications of peace—Carpenters ask for \$3 and eight hours and are likely to get it without strike—Miles will be shelved as President Roosevelt has decided on such a step.

Monday

Miss Ellen Stone, happy in attending Methodist conference in Boston and makes brief addresses—Weavers of the Samoset mills, Pawtucket, R. I., not satisfied, go on strike, claiming that the advance was not as large as they expected—Gen. Miles retirement talked of—Reported from Kansas that President Roosevelt has directed Attorney General Knox to take legal steps to dissolve the beef trust—Poor suffering because the prices of beef are too high for their purses—Gen. Pearson, late of the Boer army, endeavoring to break up what he charges to be a British supply camp in Louisiana.

Tuesday

Serious hitch in peace plans, as Boers want armistice pending negotiations, while British refuse later Cape rebels amnesty—President Roosevelt orders Gen. Chaffee to investigate by wholesale, favoring or sparing none—Statue for Butler resolve defeated in lower house, 114 to 83—Hanna wins and Rathbone is jailed out, barring formalities—Old Home week project in Massachusetts fully endorsed—Order retiring Miles out but has not yet been signed.

Wednesday

Perjury charged and O. E. Ross, witness at Bennett trial, taken into custody—Lawrence weavers in Washington mills vote to strike—War on Irish thro' coercion act proclaimed by Earl Cadogan—Gen. Malvar surrenders to Big Gen. J. Franklin Bell; no conditions and all insurgents included—Senator Hoar only one to vote against Platt amendment and extension of present exclusion bill.

Thursday

Miss Ellen M. Stone, returned captive missionary, in court on question of contract for lecturing—Frank P. Bennett on stand in his libel suit denies that Lawson called him a blackmailer and black leg—Women strike in Samoset mills, Pawtucket—Rev. J. H. Van Buren, late of Lynn, named by Episcopal House of Bishops at Cincinnati as Bishop of Porto Rico—Richmond declines England in his answer to the coercion proclamation.

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MORTGAGE BURNED.

Monday night marked an important event in the history of the St. Paul's M. E. church, Arlington street, as on that occasion the mortgage on the church property, which had been paid, was publicly burned. Special exercises were held in connection with the event, and many of the older members of the church were present. Ministers of other local Methodist churches were also present and assisted in the exercises.

At 7.30 o'clock the auditorium where the mortgage was burned was well filled with members of the church. After the opening hymn, prayer was offered by Rev. William B. Taylor, D. D., pastor of the Centre Street Primitive Methodist church. The church then rendered the anthem, "O Be Joyful."

The mortgage was then burned, the exercise taking place on the platform. Mrs. Sarah Perry one of the original members of the church, and Miss Evelyn Fox, the youngest member, held the tray to catch the ashes. Harry Trees, the treasurer, held the lighted candle and applied the flame to light the paper. William Hollows, the collector, held the note, and Mrs. Elizabeth Perry, president of the Ladies' Aid society, held the mortgage while it was burned. Four of the original members of the church, Mrs. Sarah Perry, Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Searle and John Thomas Howarth, of Cambridge, stood with the others. The heads of the various church departments of the church were also included in the group. They were as follows: Silas Thomas, recording steward of the board of stewards; Arthur L. Searle, chairman of the board of trustees; W. H. Hollows, superintendent of the Sunday School; Rev. W. S. Searle, president of the Epworth League; Miss Elsie Searle, superintendent of the Junior Epworth League; Miss Gertrude Fox, superintendent of the children's department; Mrs. Pressey, president of the Ladies' Aid society, and Mrs. Lyman, president of the Woman's Home Mission society.

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The poet "holds the mirror up to nature" and declares with a voice that reaches every age that there can be no crown of character in growing manhood if manly courtesy and the grace of culture be wanting.

Their charms, their influence, their uplifting power for good is simply due to the fact that they are not creations embodying perfection. The very web of each such life as Shakespeare saw it was "A mingled yarn, good and ill together."

The deluded victim of his own, want of self control, cries from his self abasement, "O God, that men should put anything in their mouths to steal away their brains! That we should with life, revel and applause, Transform ourselves into beasts."

Such teaching is good, as it is necessary, and yet it is no Pharisaic life that Shakespeare would have us each be or share. He bids us be human and holds up no higher standard for the young man of today than this "I dare do all that may become a man."

It is significant to note that whenever Shakespeare makes allusion to what is base in society, debauchery and dissipation he invariably points the moral. He bids us note, pity and loathe the unworthy orgies of a Falstaff and we turn away grieving for the aged one's dishonor.

But it may be urged, Shakespeare's heroes and heroines are not paragons of virtue unalloyed nor are they; they are just human—Shakespeare drew from life, he seized upon instances of actual characters in court, in camp, at the social board, in the mart and amid the highways and byways of life.

With what strange feelings we turn over pamphlets half a century old, which flutter round the question whether Shakespeare is a fit author for the Christian's perusal and which are full of lamentations at the growth of the influence of "an author so capable of corrupting."

At such words nowadays men do but smile and pass on and allusion is made to only to mark the first step in a consideration of the drama of life as portrayed by this great poet. The first thing to be noted is the estimate he gives us as to the relative proportion of good and evil in human life. Among the creations of his mind there stand out only some two or three characters of men persistently evil. In what light does he set these? He does not kindle for them the false fire of unjustifiable admiration, he leaves us no room and no occasion for morbid sentiment.

He makes their odiousness the more apparent, their vice "the more exceedingly sinful," by flinging them into the most obvious and eloquent contrast with noble, self-denying and suffering men and women, the glory of whose

goodness shines with all the brighter radiance against such dark unworthiness. Actually there is but one instance of a desperate sinner, wilful, unrepentant and malignant to the last. He, in the mass of humanity is the exception according to Shakespeare and it is true that such characters are the great exception in human nature. The world has to search for its Iagos, they are not ready to our hands.

So, too, in his estimate of the dignity, the majesty of womanhood. Many may be surprised, but it is none the less the fact, that throughout the range of his most prominent portrayals of female character there is but one solitary embodiment of what is wholly light and silly and unworthy. In this respect alone Shakespeare is true to fact, notwithstanding what the modern problem novel has to say to the contrary.

There is something very fresh and hopeful in his presentation of the characters of young men that are so thickly strewn among his dramas. What a bright group they make as we call them to mind one after the other. Human flesh and blood no more, no less, manly, keen and light hearted in the main—Some two or three of them only can be classed as silly and self-conceited.

Here and there are just one or two of the coarsely vulgar and selfish type—Once and again we smile at one whose "Soul is in His Clothes," who is positively hurt and affronted if he be not "known" by his "clothes" and whose delight is "in scarfs" and "banners." For the most part they are bright merry youths with hearts of steel, some hasty, but good in the grain; others proud, but brave; others dreamers of dreams, unpractical yet chivalrous withal. All more or less imperfect and yet bearing in their hearts seeds of manliness and high thought.

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Cricket League Umpires.

The following schedule has been prepared for the Merrimack Valley Cricket league for the months of May and June.

May 3—At Andover, Zion v Andover. Umpire, Merrimack and Lawrence.
May 3—At Lawrence, Billerica v Methuen. Umpire, Mohair and Bunting.
May 10—At Lawrence, Billerica v Merrimack. Umpire, Andover and Methuen.May 10—At Lowell, Andover v Bunting. Umpire, Zion and Billerica.
May 17—At Lowell, Zion v Methuen. Umpire, Mohair and Bunting.
May 17—At Lawrence, Andover v Lawrence. Umpire, Methuen and Merrimack.

May 17—At Billerica, Billerica v Mohair. Umpire, Zion and Andover.

May 24—At Lawrence, Mohair v Merrimack. Umpire, Lawrence and Methuen.
May 24—At Billerica, Billerica v Lawrence. Umpire, Zion and Bunting.
May 24—At Methuen, Bunting v Methuen. Umpire, Andover and Merrimack.

May 31—At Lawrence, Zion v Lawrence. Umpire, Merrimack and Mohair.

May 31—At Lowell, Merrimack v Bunting. Umpire, Billerica and Zion.

May 31—At Andover, Mohair and Andover. Umpire, Merrimack and Lawrence.

June 7—At Billerica, Zion v Billerica. Umpire, Mohair and Bunting.

June 7—At Merrimack, Lawrence v Merrimack. Umpire, Andover and Methuen.

June 7—At Methuen, Andover v Methuen. Umpire, Zion and Lawrence.

June 14—At Lowell, Mohair v Zion. Umpire, Bunting and Billerica.

June 14—Lawrence, Methuen v Merrimack. Umpire, Lawrence and Andover.

June 14—At Andover, Billerica v Andover. Umpire, Zion and Merrimack.

June 14—At Lawrence, Bunting v Lawrence. Umpire, Mohair and Methuen.

June 21—At Lawrence, Mohair v Lawrence. Umpire, Methuen and Andover.

June 28—At Lawrence, Zion v Merrimack. Umpire, Lawrence and Bunting.

June 28—At Methuen, Lawrence v Methuen. Umpire, Andover and Merrimack.

June 28—At Lowell, Andover v Mohair. Umpire, Billerica and Bunting.

June 28—At Billerica, Bunting v Billerica. Umpire, Mohair and Zion.

The Brownie Show.

The cantata, "The Brownies in Fairyland," given in city hall, Saturday afternoon and evening, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association, proved a fine success in every particular. The attendance was all that could be desired, and every one present went away pleased with what they had seen.

More than 150 local children participated in the presentation of the cantata, and performed their parts with great credit to themselves. Much time had been given to the drilling of the children by Miss H. S. Davis of New York, and to her is due much praise for the successful manner in which the affair was carried out. Miss Edith Hartwell presided at the piano in an efficient manner.

The cast of characters was as follows:
Prince Alabaran, Harold Cate
Cholly Boutoniere, Benjamin GainsburgChauncey Quoter, Alvin Morse
Major Telloff, Alvin Morse
Patrolman Moeven, Ray WingateBully Tackout, Horace Wood
Tutti, Frutti, The Brownie Twins.
Harold Mosher, Bertie WiswoldUncle Sam, George Millar
John Bull, Donald Christian
Donald MacCraggie, Fred PooreDennis O'Rourke, Henry Keefe
Prof. Katchakoff, Frank Achorn
Wagner Von Strauss, Harold SmithAfrail-of-the-Day, Harold Rogers
Furankins, an Eskimo, Irving Wood
Wah Sing, Walter KeoughBeetle, Wasp, Hornet, Leaders of the Enemy.
Richard Bucksey, Chas. WoodcockQueen Flora, Goddess of the Flowers, Florence Weldon
Toddlekins, Tippytoes, We Attendants of the Queen.Helen Humphrey, Bertha Humphrey
Aesthetica, Edith Bagshaw
Ladies in Waiting to the Queen:Sunshine, Addie Buckseye
Dewdrop, Gertrude Brown
Starlight, Matilda JensenZephyr, Annie Keefe
Roseleaf, Ethel Newton
Hyacinth, Evelyn FoxEglantine, Mary Redpath
Morning Glory, Laura Jackson
Columbine, Tina EastmanHearthstone, Guy Robinson
Goldenrod, Guy Robinson
King Cole, Guy RobinsonIn addition to the above the following also participated:
Fairies—Gertrude Kershaw, Frances Hyde, Gladys Herrick, Helen Cutler

Helen Jeffrey, Marion Moeley, Addie Renfrew, Flora Brown, Gertrude Kimball, Nellie Cowie, Ethel Hollows, Amy Stewart, Evelyn Fox, Mildred Coleman

Carrie Lyman, Beale Hollows, Lottie Lyman, Mabel Miller, Isa Dunham, Marion Bryant, Marion Redford, Edith Bigelow, Ida Sladdin, Amelia Edmunds

Irene Naylor, Maggie Miller, Annie McGibbon, Edith Bagshaw, Lillian Foster, Jessie Gaynor, Edith Stewart, Lizzie Collins, Mildred Woodcock, Marion Christensen, Dorothy Rogers, Helen Humphrey, Helen Ryder, Helen Nowell, Lillian Maxwell, Mary Cate

Woodcock, Jennie Jeffrey, Isabel Miller, Frances Bunde, Ethel Robinson, Laura Cressey, Florence Ryder, Eva Smith.

Extra Brownies—Richard Bucksey, Clifford Knowles, Chas. Woodcock, Paul Lyall, Edgar LaFontaine, Andrew Porter, Harold Austin, Willie Miller.

Tote, Nellie Rousch, Maud Metzner, Ida Yeckle, Marie Harrison, Jennie Hinchcliffe, Elizabeth Jeffrey, Alice Beel, Lizzie Dyer, Maud Heff, Mabel Rudolph, Eleanor Robinson, Eleanor McGibbon, Annie Chadwick, Lillian Metzner, Helen Knowles, Mildred Oxten, Olive Jackson, Minnie Hall, Mabel Colgan, Grace Dyer, Evelyn Dewhirst, Marion Cate, Gladys Woodcock, Eudora Haywood, Arline Freeman.

Standing Army—Paul Lyall, Andrew Porter, George Miller, Donald Christensen, Ray Wingate, Harold Rogers, Irving Wood, Fred Poore, Harold Smith, Horace Wood, Edgar LaFontaine, Chas. Woodcock, Alvin Morse, Henry Keefe, Frank Echorn.

Pan Drill—Bertha Gaines, Gertrude Falvey, Blanche Kent, Ethel Tacy, Helen Bealand, Ruth Dean, Dorothy Gee, May Wallace, Lizzie Wallace, Clara Houghton, Jessie Duschane, Nellie Wallace, Ida Fox, Mabel Fox, Laura Perkins, Agnes Ermer, Daisy Stevens.

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BASEBALL

University of Maine vs. P. A. 7.

The academy played a handicapped game of ball with the University of Maine last Saturday, and was defeated 11 to 7. The P. A. team was weakened by several absences from the ranks of those who are likely to make up the regular nine this year, two of last year's veterans being unable to play on account of conditions.

Pitcher Campbell, who made such a good impression last spring, has several conditions which may keep him out of the game several weeks. Hulskamp, the last year's 3rd baseman did not play Saturday for a similar reason.

Brown, a freshman from Reading, filled the pitcher's box for Andover, and did good work considering his inexperience. While rather wild, he keeps his head well, has considerable speed and gives promise of being a "comer."

Clough on 1st also made a good impression, fielding and batting splendidly. Captain O'Brien played his customary fast game, marring it, however, with one costly mishap, which was perhaps excusable as his time for practice has been limited, the coaching of the others requiring his attention.

Washington could not be considered quite up to scratch in his position at 2nd, but Hodge, who covered 3rd in place of Hulskamp, is said to be playing well at 2nd. All the fielders played good ball, accepting some difficult chances.

Both Maine and Andover played with considerable wildness, but the former was enabled to win by more opportune batting and by Brown's wildness in the 4th inning when by three bases on balls in succession and two singles followed almost immediately by a triple, five runs were scored.

The summary:

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE.

Holmes, cf., 4 1 1 3 0 0
Carr, 2b, 5 0 1 1 3 4 2
Mitchell, lf, 3 1 0 0 0 1 0
Davis, 3b, 3 3 2 2 2 2 1
Chadburne, 2b, 4 2 2 2 2 2 2
Collins, 1b, 5 2 2 2 1 1 1
Towler, ss, 4 3 2 2 2 2 2
Mosher, p, 5 0 0 0 1 2 0
Towse, rf, 2 1 1 3 1 0 1

Totals, 35 11 12 14 27 14 9

PHILLIPS ANDOVER.

Scribner, rf, 4 2 1 1 1 0 0
Clough, 1b, 6 0 3 3 0 0 0
Hodge, 3b, 5 0 1 1 3 0 1
O'Brien, ss, 5 1 0 0 6 2 1
Bannhart, lf, 5 2 1 1 1 0 0
Washington, 2b, 4 1 1 1 1 1 1
Carter, cf, 5 1 2 2 0 0 0
Sillick, c, 4 0 0 0 3 4 2
Brown, p, 4 0 1 1 2 2 0

Totals, 40 7 10 10 24 10 5

Innings—1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9—
U. of M., 0 0 5 2 2 0 2 0 11
P. A., 0 2 1 1 0 2 0 0 7

Three base hit, Towse; bases on balls, by Mosher, Clough, Washington; by Brown, Holmes, Mitchell, Davis; Chadburne, Towse; struck out, by Towse, Hodge, Brown; by Brown, Mosher, Towse; passed balls, Chadburne; wild pitches, Towse, Brown; stolen bases, Davis, Chadburne, Bannhart; hit by pitched ball, Mitchell; time, 1 hr. 50 min.; umpire, Crowley.

Andover 8; Newburyport A. C. 5.

In the second game of the season, on Wednesday afternoon, Andover defeated the Newburyport Athletic club by the score of 8 to 5. Like last Saturday's game, Andover was handicapped by being represented by a team of inexperienced players who gave promise of doing good work under proper coaching.

Baker, a freshman, was in the box for the academy nine and showed up well. He has considerable speed and a fair curve besides seeming to have better control than Brown as he did not give a base on balls. Sillick backed him up well and threw to base finely. Clough covered first splendidly, while O'Brien covered second splendidly, making one error, however, when holding the ball would have probably meant a double play and prevented Newburyport from scoring three runs in that inning.

Phil Foster, an Andover boy, played left field but did not distinguish himself. Scribner took everything that came his way, making one phenomenal catch of a foul fly. Washington and Hodge covered second and third in good shape.

The summary:

PHILLIPS ANDOVER.

Clough, 1b, 4 2 2 2 13 0 0
O'Brien, ss, 5 1 2 2 4 3 1
Scribner, rf, 5 3 0 0 2 0 0
Hodge, 3b, 5 1 1 1 0 1 0
Washington, 2b, 5 0 1 1 1 4 0
Carter, cf, 4 0 0 0 0 0 0
Sillick, c, 5 0 0 1 1 3 0
Baker, p, 4 0 1 1 1 4 2

Totals, 42 8 8 8 27 16 5

NEWBURYPORT A. C.

Curtis, c, 4 0 0 0 6 0 0
Southwell, ss, 4 0 0 0 0 1 2
Rogers 1b, 3 1 0 0 16 1 1
Hathaway, 3b, 4 2 1 0 5 3
Shepard, 2b, 4 0 0 0 2 1 1
Dresser, p, 4 1 1 1 1 8 1
Hussey, cf, 4 1 2 2 0 0 0
Burke, lf, 4 0 1 1 1 0 0
Page, rf, 1 0 0 0 0 0 0
Barboro, rf, 2 0 0 0 1 0 0

Total, 34 5 5 5 27 16 5

Innings—1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9—
Andover, 2 1 0 0 1 3 0 8
Newburyport, 0 1 3 0 0 0 1 5

Bases on balls—By Dresser, Clough; struck out—By Dresser, O'Brien, Sillick; 2 Foster 2 Baker. Hit by pitched ball—By Dresser, Carter; by Baker, Rogers, Page. Stolen bases—Hathaway, Scribner 2, Washington, O'Brien. Wild pitches—Dresser 3, Passed ball—Curtis. Time—1 hr. 50 min. Umpire—Crowley.

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League Schedule.

The baseball schedule for May for the new trolley league of which Andover is a member, was prepared at a meeting held in Stoneham last Sunday and is as follows:

May 3, North Woburn vs. Melrose at Woburn, Stoneham vs. Andover at Stoneham, City Point vs. Saugus at South Boston, South End vs. Medford at Medford; May 10, South End vs. Andover at Woburn, Stoneham vs. City Point at Stoneham, Melrose vs. Saugus, at Saugus, North Woburn vs. Medford at Medford; May 17, Stoneham vs. Melrose at Stoneham, North Woburn vs. Andover at Woburn, City Point vs. South End at South Boston, Medford vs. Saugus at Medford; May 25, Stoneham vs. Medford at Stoneham, South End vs. Saugus at Woburn, Melrose vs. Andover at Melrose, City Point vs. North Woburn at South Boston; May 30, Melrose vs. Stoneham at Melrose, North Woburn vs. South End at Woburn, City Point vs. Medford at Medford, Andover vs. Saugus at Saugus; May 31, North Woburn vs. Saugus at Saugus, Stoneham vs. Andover at Stoneham, South End vs. Melrose at Woburn, City Point vs. Medford at South Boston.

It will be seen by the schedule that Medford has been admitted.

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Talmage Dead.

WASHINGTON, April 14—Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, the noted Presbyterian divine, died at 9 o'clock Saturday night, at his residence in this city.

It had been evident for some days that there was no hope for his recovery, and the attending physicians so informed the family. The patient gradually grew weaker until life passed away quietly, that even the members of the household, all of whom were watching at the bedside, hardly knew that he had gone. The immediate cause of death was inflammation of the brain.

Dr. Talmage was in poor health when he started away from Washington for Mexico for a vacation and just six weeks ago. He was then suffering from influenza and catarrhal conditions. Since his return to Washington some time ago, he had been quite ill. The last rational words he uttered were on the day preceding the marriage of his daughter, when he said: "Of course, I know you, Maud." Since then he has been unconscious.

At Dr. Talmage's bedside, in addition to his wife, were these members of his family: The Rev. Frank DeWitt Talmage of Chicago, Mrs. Warren C. Smith of Brooklyn, Mrs. Daniel Mangum of Brooklyn, Mrs. Allen E. Donovan of Richmond and Mrs. Clarence Wycoff and Miss Talmage of Washington.

Arrangements were completed today for the funeral services in this city over the remains of Dr. T. DeWitt Talmage. The funeral will take place at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the Church of the Covenant. The services will be very simple. There will be no funeral sermon, but short addresses concerning the life and works of the deceased will be made by men who have been intimately associated with him. At 9 o'clock Wednesday morning interment will take place in the family lot at Greenwood cemetery, Brooklyn.

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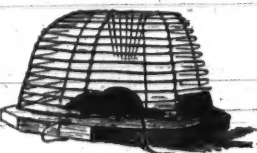
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Patriots' Day.

In 1776 it was an expensive thing to be a patriot; expensive in the cost of blood and friends, and labor to stand for the new and independent union. Great lessons were taught by the costly experiences of those days, lessons we are wont to think will last for all time in making men loyal to country and all that is noble in living.

But we get some very rude shocks once in a while when we stop to think upon the "Spirit of '76," as it is lived today. There is very little of the old spirit of sacrifice moving men to noble deeds these days where so much is debased to the one end of gain. The plow is never deserted, nor the looms left idle, save for the advantage of the individual. A million lights from a million belfry towers could not now awaken the spirit of brotherhood as did Paul Revere's flickering lantern in the old North church nearly two and a half centuries ago. And the end of this sort of decadence in patriotism is even not yet.

What are we to do about it? Surely not further drag its emblems in the dust as it is proposed to do in so many places tomorrow by bartering the day to the trade that comes with the one big bargain day of the week, nor to leave its observance to the opening ball games and bicycle races. The farther away we get in years from the men who founded this great nation, the greater the need of dwelling upon the sacrifice and patriotism which Patriots' Day is designed to keep alive. There are great battles still being fought, and the need of patriotism was never greater than it is now. The battles are not with flint lock muskets, but they take just as much courage as man has ever shown.

"Then we, in days when no attack is feared. And none is hoped, no sudden courage called. Should strengthen our intrenchments quietly. Review the forces, exercise the troops. Feeling the while, not 'When will battle come?' But 'This is battle! We are conquering now!'"

Special Town Meeting, April 28.

The warrant is out for the special town meeting, and covers the expected ground and a little more. The expected ground was the new street off Elm street, and repairs on Main street; the "little more" is a call for money to be spent in fighting the tree destroyers. We refrain from discussing the Main street question until next week when we hope to present the proposed plan in full detail. The question of the new street off Elm street should be settled with little difficulty, as the town has already approved the plan, and it comes up again only because of a legal hitch in the first grant.

The call for more money for the tree warden, to use in fighting tree pests cannot apparently be passed by lightly. Since the annual meeting there has developed a good sized scare over possible ravages by the brown tailed and gypsy moths, and cities and towns all around Andover are bestirring themselves to protect the trees. Andover has a very strong obligation to do its share in this work, and it is probable that there will be hearty approval of the suggestion to appropriate a small sum. It is very important that there should be a large attendance of citizens, and that all of the questions should be fully considered before they are acted upon. Special town meetings are not called that important matters may be "indefinitely postponed" but that they may be intelligently discussed.

Editorial Cinders.

Many of the good citizens of North Andover could never reconcile the idea of the old name of "Andover" being taken by the newer part of the town when the original town was divided. If anything was needed to justify the name going to the South Parish it has now been provided in the recent vote of the old North Parish to establish a liquor saloon in its midst. Alas and alack, how hath the mighty fallen!

We can recall no work by private parties toward making a more beautiful Andover, that promises so much in real improvement as does the grading and tree planting now being completed by Mr. Wm. M. Wood and Messrs. Curran and Joyce on the east side of Main street below Stimpson's bridge. They cut trees and built over the street and are now planting a dozen in the right place for every one removed from the wrong place. May their tribe increase.

If any one thinks that all the water that fell last week ran down Rogers' brook, he should take a drive through West Parish. The back roads look like river beds and in several places they are actually impassable. It looks as if Mr. Lovejoy's road machine had a great many busy days ahead of it.

CLASS INITIATION

Local Council of Royal Arcanum Attends One in Lawrence Last Friday Evening.

Eighteen candidates, five from Andover, took the initiatory degree at a class initiation in Pemberton hall, Lawrence, last Friday evening. Other council members present were Lawrence and Merrimack of Lawrence, Methuen, and John G. Whittier of Haverhill. The work was performed by the degree staff of Lawrence council.

The staff which performed the work was made up as follows: Regent, J. C. Haughton, V. R., W. H. Lesure, P. R., Charles F. Geginheimer, Orator, W. W. Hager, Chaplain, F. V. A. Bowker, and Guide, Edgar S. Rideout.

A large delegation of Andover council attended, first meeting at the new meeting place in Pilgrim hall, after which the electric cars were taken for Lawrence. A special car brought back the members to town.

After the close of the initiation remarks were made by several of those present, including Grand Vice Regent Thomas J. Tierney, of Boston, Grand Secretary H. A. Boynton of Boston and Past Grand Regent C. V. Clark of Andover. At the conclusion of the meeting a social was enjoyed during which games were played and a collation of abundance served by Caterer J. T. Kemmer. The officers of Lawrence council arranged for the occasion which was very successful. The candidates who were initiated were distributed among the various councils as follows: Lawrence council, two candidates; Methuen council, two; Andover council, five; John G. Whittier of Haverhill, eight, and Merrimack council of Lawrence, one. Lawrence council is the oldest local council, and Merrimack is the youngest. John G. Whittier shows the most rapid growth by sending up eight to be initiated and Andover follows closely with five. The Haverhill council was to have had ten candidates but two were unable to attend. The speakers dwelt upon the growth of the order and the benefits derived from membership in it. Statistics were given which showed the strength of the organization which has in the United States and Canada upwards of 240,000 members. The order carries about \$1,600,000 emergency fund.

Abbot Lectures.

Prof. John M. Tyler of Amherst college, comes next Thursday and Friday, April 24th and 25th, to lecture at Abbot academy hall, in the yearly lecture course. The first lecture is entitled "Why we have a Brain," and the second, "Man, and his Possibilities." The lectures will begin at 8:30 p. m., and the tickets will be at the rate of 35 cents for a single ticket or 50 cents for both lectures. We are glad to have these prices so low, since these lectures are given by the Alumnae of the school, and we are glad to make them easily available to the town also. We only desire to cover incidental expenses.

These lectures will be followed by one by Prof. Angelo Heilprin of the Philadelphia Academy of Natural Sciences, who is one of our foremost geographers and explorers. He will give an illustrated lecture on the extremely interesting subject of "The Problems of the Two Poles." Probably there are few men better able to speak authoritatively upon the questions involved. This lecture will be given on May 10th at 2:30; and the single ticket will be at the same price. These tickets may be had at the book store or at the door of the Hall.

Annual Meeting of Golf Club.

The annual meeting of the Andover Golf club was held at the Club house on the links last Monday evening at 8 p. m. Routine business was transacted and various matters of importance discussed. Among other unimportant business, it was voted that the club engage a caretaker who should be present at the club house afternoons through the summer.

The same officers as last year were elected with the exception of the secretary, Miss Marion Paine, who found it impossible to serve this year. The officers are as follows:

President—George F. Smith.
Vice-President—Walter Buck.
Secretary—Mrs. Walter Buck.
Treasurer—W. H. Gile.
Greens com.—Prof. C. H. Forbes, S. L. Fuller, Edward Brooks.
House com.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. F. Clarke, Mrs. H. Bradford Lewis, Miss Esther Smith, John Dove.
Membership com.—H. Bradford Lewis, Mrs. Walter Buck, W. R. Newton.

Course of Lectures at Seminary.

Rev. Henry A. Stimson, D. D., pastor of the Manhattan Congregational church of New York City, and Southworth lecturer on Congregational polity in Andover Seminary, will give six lectures upon the following subjects during the four days beginning with April 22:

Tuesday, Apr. 22, 11 a. m. The Function of the Church.
Wednesday, Apr. 23, 11 a. m. The Church in the Service of the Community.
Wednesday, Apr. 23, 4 p. m. The Church and the Working Man.
Thursday, Apr. 24, 11 a. m. The Church and the Family.
Friday, Apr. 25, 11 a. m. The Church and the Social Classes.
Friday, Apr. 25, 4 p. m. The Controlling Principles.

All are cordially invited by the Faculty of the Seminary to attend these lectures, which will be delivered in Bartlett chapel.

Girls' Friendly Eastertide Sale and Entertainment.

On Wednesday afternoon, April 23, there will be on sale at the parish rooms of Christ church a variety of home made cake and confectionery, also useful articles made by the members under the instruction of the associates of the society. Afternoon tea will be served. Admission free.

The evening at seven thirty there will be given an entertainment consisting of a comedy entitled "A Gentle Jury," also music, both vocal and instrumental. Refreshments of ice-cream and cake will be on sale. The admission to the evening entertainment will be 15 cents.

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Sunday School Notes.

The Executive Board of the Massachusetts Sunday School Association has just held its bi-monthly session at Hotel Bellevue, Boston, Chairman W. N. Hartshorn presiding.

The provisional program for the Tenth International Convention in Denver, June 24-30, was presented. It is hoped that President Roosevelt will address the convention. Among the other prominent names are Dr. A. F. Schaffner, H. M. Jamil, John Potts and Mr. Marion Lawrence. Massachusetts will have its share in the program. Dr. A. C. Dixon will conduct several devotional hours. Dr. A. E. Dunning will present the report of the Lesson Committee, of which he is the secretary. Dr. M. C. Hazard is announced to discuss improvements in the International System. Dr. C. H. Daniels, of the American Board, will discuss The Relation of the Sunday school to Missions. Mrs. Flora V. Stebbins, superintendent of the Home Department in Massachusetts, will speak of that work, and R. F. Raymond, of New Bedford, upon How the International Convention helps the State.

The transportation committee, Mr. W. W. Main, chairman, has prepared attractive trips to Denver and return.

The trips vary in expense and information can be obtained at the Massachusetts S. S. Headquarters, 110 Boylston street, Boston.

The New England States plan to travel together, on the "New England Sunday School Train." The "train" will consist of five or more Pullman vestibuled cars, and will leave Boston from the South station, 1 o'clock p. m., Monday, June 23. Due in Chicago, Tuesday, 5 p. m. From 6 to 9:30 o'clock, a reception and banquet is expected. Leave Chicago at 10 p. m. and arrive in Denver at 7 a. m. Thursday. The first session of the convention will begin at 3 p. m.

Appointed Assistant Superintendent.

An Andover boy has just been appointed to the responsible position of assistant superintendent in Smith & Dove mills and his many friends will be glad to congratulate him on his advance up the ladder of success.

The young man to whom has come the appointment is Henry A. Bodwell, son of Mrs. Emma A. Bodwell, Maple avenue, and at present employed by the government as an inspector of machinery for the port of Boston, having been engaged in this capacity for about two years.

Mr. Bodwell is a graduate of Pynchard Free school, class of 1890, and of the Lowell Textile school, class of '00. Before going to Lowell he was employed for about a year in one of the departments of the Washington mills.

He will assume his new position on May 1.

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LAWRENCE

Miss Mabel Hewitt of Lawrence street spent Sunday at Canobie lake.

Mr. and Mrs. William Young have removed from Holly street to 17 May street.

Miss Jennie Burns of Haverhill street has returned from her visit to Washington, D. C.

John Garry of Broadway has resumed his studies at Tufts Medical college after the Easter vacation.

Thomas B. Murphy of Chestnut street, who has been seriously ill, is reported to be much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Currier of Franklin street left Saturday for a sojourn at North Hatley, P. Q.

Friends from Salem were the guests, Sunday, of the Misses Evelyn, Emma and Gertrude Jones of Union street.

Frank J. O'Connor of Fairmont street a student at Harvard college, is spending the spring vacation at his home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace E. Andrews of Pleasantdale, Me., are the guests of their brother, E. T. Manahan, of Lowell street.

Dr. Florence N. Robinson of Valley street and Miss Mary of the Young Women's Christian association are spending a two weeks' vacation in Nova Scotia.

Hugo Bell, Dennis F. Reagan, H. J. Stanchfield, A. A. Caffrey, Charles La-caille and William Melnick, all of this city, and George W. Thornton of North Andover, are on the jury of the supreme judicial court in Salem.

Horace Neal of Ballardvale and John H. Farrar of 399 Essex street have just returned from a two days' fishing trip to Lake Winnepesaukee, N. H. They report the fishing as excellent there, having caught 14 beautiful trout varying from 3 to 6 pounds in weight.

Architect Regan is preparing plans for the new French Catholic church, which is to be erected at the corner of Haverhill and Franklin streets. The structure will be of red brick and stone, will be Romanesque in architecture, and will have a seating capacity of about 2000.

A meeting of the Ping Pong club was held at the home of Miss Emma Wagenbach recently and the following officers for the ensuing year were chosen: President John J. Joyce; vice president, T. E. Byrne; financial secretary, Emma Wagenbach; recording secretary, Will O'Brien; treasurer, M. J. Byron; inside guard, Mayne Gaughan; outside guard, Maud Busby; chaplain, John J. Griffin; orator, Martin Kilbourne; chaplaine, Mrs. John J. Joyce; musical director, Nick Barry; Murty Sullivan and Miss Julia Wagner. After the election of officers, a vote was cast for the club hold a select trolley party to Tanner's hall, Haverhill, Thursday evening, April 24, 1902. A game of Ping Pong was played and a collation was served. During the evening songs were rendered by Nicholas Barry, Thomas E. Byrne, John J. Griffin and Miss Mayne Gaughan.

A union meeting of the four local lodges of F. O. E. M. T. was held Saturday evening in Pomerton hall. There were about 400 members of various lodges present and a social was enjoyed for the entire evening. Representatives were present from Loy-ol Victoria, Hearts of Oak, Washington and Essex lodges. An address of welcome by John Bartle, chairman of the joint committee, opened the affair. A long and interesting musical and literary program was given there being many contributors. Among the entertainers were Carl O. Titstrand, J. Giblin, H. Robinson, S. Stuer, Mr. Reynolds, E. Adams, Simon Faxon, A. Chamberlain, Fred Richardson, George Tetley and James Richardson. There was a bounteous collation served by the committee. The committee in charge of the joint meeting comprised the following: John Bartle, John T. Barnes, Walter Baldwin, A. Chamberlain, Fred Richardson, Albert Wooley, Albert Wilkinson, Joseph McColley, George Innes, C. E. Adams, Albert Davey and George Irvine.

Arthur Leveille of Reid & Hughes and Mr. Bourne, editor of "Le Progrès" of this city, have gone into the printing business in Haverhill where they will publish "Le Sentinel." The best of success is wished the two popular young men.

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The Lawrence & Methuen Street Railway company was granted a franchise in accordance with its recent petition at Monday night's meeting of the board of aldermen by a vote of 4 to 2. Aldermen Eaton and Lane being the members who opposed the grant. Mayor Leonard appointed Louis K. Selgel a registrar of voters for three years and John W. Towle first assistant engineer for three years, both appointments being confirmed. He also made several police appointments which were confirmed. While the meeting was in progress the mayor announced that the board has accepted the offer of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company for free telephones.

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The pupils attending St. Mary's school on Haverhill street and who reside across the Spicket, were first transferred to the new building, and then the new pupils who constitute about 25 per cent of the entire enrollment were admitted. The well filled condition of the schoolhouse shows that the building was much needed, and present indications are that before long an addition will have to be made to the structure.

The school is a branch of St. Mary's high system, and the studies taught there are those of the primary and middle classes, the grades being the first, second and third.

The building is a very pretty two-story wooden structure of four large well lighted and well ventilated rooms. It is designed and built by Contractor James Flanagan and has been in process of construction since last August. The building is 32x78 feet, with wings 26x10. It is finished in North Carolina pine and has maple floors. The four rooms, two on the first and two on the second floor are 30x33 feet and are united and supplied with slate blackboards. Each room has eight windows which supply abundant light and ventilation. The seating capacity of each room is 60.

In the basement is the hot air heating apparatus, two drill rooms, and the toilet rooms. The heating apparatus is large enough for a six room building. It is the A. B. Franklin of Boston and is on the indirect gravity system.

In the wings of the building are the dressers and the entrance. The roof of the structure is of slate with copper flashing.

The building is so constructed that two rooms can be readily added to the rear of the structure.

The plumbing was done by C. A. Donovan, the cellar and stone work by Waggenbach and the painting by James H. Clifford.

FAILED TO AGREE.

The jury which considered the six suits against Portal-M-Black, growing out of the sale of stock in the Narragansett Lead and Zinc mine to William Forbes, James C. Forbes, Arthur W. Howland, Amaret W. Howland, James M. Learned and John H. Staples, was unable to reach an agreement and was excused from further service at 9 p. m. Saturday. Ten minutes later court adjourned sine die.

The Black cases had been on trial for a week and were given to the jury at 4 p. m. Saturday. The jury wrestled with the question before them until nine o'clock without reaching an agreement. Judge Richardson left for home at 10 o'clock after he had made arrangements with Judge Sherman to take the verdict at nine o'clock if one had been reached or, if not, to allow the jury to report a disagreement at that hour and be discharged.

Accordingly Judge Sherman opened the session at 9 o'clock and requested Deputy Sheriff Abbott, who had charge of the jury, to bring them to the court room. When they arrived the judge asked Foreman Jones if the jury had agreed upon a verdict and was told that they had not. He then requested that the cases be returned and excused the jury from further attendance.

Attorney H. L. Baker, who represented the plaintiffs, asked the court to have the cases added at the end of the May term list at Salem, but Judge Sherman declined to do so, saying since he had not sat on the case. He suggested that Judge Richardson might make some order during this week when he comes to Lawrence to entertain motions for new trials.

ENTERTAINED FRIENDS.

Miss Belle Emerson of Blanchard street entertained a number of her friends at her home Wednesday night in a pleasing manner. The early evening session at 8 o'clock was a musical one during which Miss Nellie Keighly rendered piano selections, Miss Annie McManis gave Scottish dialect readings and vocal selections, and Miss Agnes Lane rendered vocal selections. After indulging in games and other social amusements for some time the hostess served bounteous and tasty refreshments. Among those present were the following: Misses Bertha Shiers, Etta Hilbert, Ella Brown, Agnes Hines, Agnes Lane, Annie McManis, Nellie Keighly and the hostess, Miss Belle Emerson and Messrs. Thomas Heald, Chris Baron, Henry Tetler, Stuart Adams, Chester Kershaw, Ludgia Landry, Elbert Spurr, and Fred Spencer. The gathering dispersed for their several homes at about midnight after having spent a most enjoyable time.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years it was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney, Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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WINTHROP WHIST CLUB.
The Winthrop Whist club of this ward met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William K. Jardine on Cambridge street Tuesday evening. The meeting was the last of the season and a very pleasant evening was spent. The evening was passed in playing whist and a social was enjoyed. After the awarding of the prizes for those of the best winning for the whole season a collation was served by the hostess. The following won the prizes offered: First lady's prize, Miss Alice Barker; first gentleman's prize, John D. Craig; lady's consolation gift, Mrs. William K. Jardine; gentleman's gift, Howard Roop. The club has had a successful season and great interest has been taken in the socials which have all been well attended.

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Old Resident Honored.

A surprise party was given to Mr. John Dean at his residence, 49 Warren street, Sunday evening, in celebration of his 70th birthday. Mr. Dean, who is a native of England, came to this country some 46 years ago, leaving Liverpool in June, 1856, on the sailing ship, Jeremiah Thomson, and after a pleasant voyage of 36 days landed in New York with his wife and one child, 31 months old, and also accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Crossley, now of Haverhill.

Mr. Dean came direct to Lawrence in which city he has resided ever since. He has been for a great many years identified with the Pacific mills being held in high esteem.

Mr. Dean was a member of the old Essex tub, taking a prominent part in fighting the fire at the Pemberton mills also at the collapse of the American Hotel, which was situated on the site of the new store building now on the corner of Warren and Suffolk streets.

Mr. Dean lived on Sutton street at the time the South canal was made. In 1866 he built himself a home on Warren street. Three years later he built the house in which he has resided ever since. He has always enjoyed the best of health until two years ago when he was confined to his home for a short time, but is now to all appearance enjoying that health and spirit which is found in men of his years.

After a good supper the rest of the evening was given over to entertaining, stories and reminiscences of Lawrence of 40 years ago, and were discussed with much enjoyment by the old folks up to a late hour. Mr. Dean gave his friends a little of Lawrence's history and its changes in his 46 years residence in the city.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Howarth, Mr. and Mrs. Thomson of Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Driver, Mr. and Mrs. Mellor, Mrs. Coupe, Mrs. George Coupe, A. Halstead, J. Housick.

GUESTS OF THE COMPANY.

The Prudential Insurance company's men of this city, Haverhill and Newburyport were given a banquet at the Essex house Saturday evening. After the repeat superintendent W. J. Sullivan in a masterly manner touched on the past progress made by the company in this district, and stated that the district was now leading all other districts in Division C, for ordinary increase.

Quite a few of our prominent business men were present, including His Honor Mayor Leonard, Dr. Abbott, Dr. Fuller, Dr. Berwick, Dr. Sargent and Superintendent Forester of Lowell. Asst. Supt. W. J. Crook was introduced as the leading assistant superintendent, and was at once challenged by Asst. Supt. T. A. Santry and Asst. Supt. J. F. McEvoy of Haverhill. J. H. Wood, assistant superintendent issued a challenge to J. J. Gillis of Newburyport, assistant superintendent, and was accepted. Asst. Supt. J. W. Condon and Asst. Supt. H. Williams of Haverhill also had a battle for supremacy. A number of the leading agents were called on and responded in a noble manner.

At the close of the meeting the assistants and agents pledged themselves to Supt. W. J. Sullivan that Lawrence district would lead all others this year. Extensions of satisfaction were given to Host Kernon and all had an enjoyable evening.

GOOD FOR RHEUMATISM.

Last fall I was taken with a very severe attack of muscular rheumatism which caused me great pain and annoyance. After trying several prescriptions and rheumatic cures, I decided to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I had seen advertised in the South Jerseyian. After two applications of this Remedy, I was much better, and after using one bottle, was completely cured. SALLIE HARRIS, Salem, N. J. For sale by all druggists.

LAWRENCE CANOE CLUB BANQUET.

The Lawrence Canoe club held the annual banquet Monday night at the Franklin house and it was largely attended, fully 75 members sitting down to the festive board at about 9 o'clock and partaking of an elaborate supper. At the conclusion of the banquet, Fred G. Dyer, James E. Simpson and C. W. R. Seaton. The entertainment committee consisted of a number of the club members headed by Mr. Gallagher. Last night's affair was one of the most successful that has been held by the club for some time.

JOHN G. FREDERICK DEAD.

John Granville Frederick, father of ex-representative George G. Frederick and one of the old residents of Methuen died at his home 35 Park street in that town shortly before noon Wednesday. His age was about 75 years. Death was due to a complication of diseases, of which heart trouble was the chief.

Mr. Frederick had been in poor health for the past five years, and had suffered several serious attacks of heart disease before this one. He was taken down this time a week or two ago, and gradually grew worse until death relieved his suffering.

The deceased had lived in Methuen many years. In his younger days he had been a contractor, but of late years he had been employed as carpenter by E. F. Searies. He was a man of sterling qualities and upright character. He was connected with the Baptist church. He is survived by a widow, one son George G. Frederick of the drug firm of Frederick & Bower, and three grand children.

A FREIGHT CRASH.

Two freight trains collided on the Manchester & Lawrence railroad, near Salem Depot, N. H. at 5 o'clock Monday night. The crews escaped without injury, by jumping with but one exception, Conductor Charles H. Bickford of this city who received an ugly gash on his head. He is in the caboose when the collision came and was hurled against the side of the car with much force. The trains had orders to meet at Salem. Train 625 was standing on the main track and the north bound train crashed into it. Engineer Bryley is reported as saying that the smoke prevented his seeing the other train in time to avert the accident. Both engines were considerably damaged.

"A neighbor ran in with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy when my son was suffering with severe cramps and was given up as beyond hope by my regular physician, who stands high in the profession. After administering three doses of it, my son regained consciousness and recovered entirely within twenty-four hours," says Mrs. Mary Haller, of Mt. Crawford, Va. This Remedy is for sale by all druggists.

THE BRUCE SCHOOL.

No formality or exercises of an elaborate nature marked the opening of the Alexander B. Bruce school, the beautiful new structure in ward five, last evening. On the contrary, the exercises were very simple and informal. His Honor, Mayor James F. Leonard, Superintendent of Schools J. E. Burke, members of the commission which had the construction of the building in charge, prominent citizens, members of both branches of the city government and of the school board, and the Hon. A. B. Bruce after whom the school was named, were present and a number of them took part in the exercise, but raising than a formal opening it was an evening of felicitation and congratulation, particularly for the people of ward five who have waited long and patiently for the realization of their dream of a magnificent structure in which their children were to receive their education. The dream has at length been realized and the residents of the Tower hill district can now boast of one of the finest structures in the city.

THE EXERCISES.

The exercises took place in the fine large assembly hall on the second floor. All of the seats were occupied and many stood in doorways and corridors. Upon the platform were seated the city officials and other prominent citizens.

In the earlier part of the evening, visitors swarmed through all parts of the beautiful structure, inspecting and admiring it and shortly after 8 o'clock turned attention to the hall. On the platform were the Hon. James F. Leonard, Hon. A. B. Bruce, Hon. Robert H. Tewksbury, Superintendent J. E. Burke, Aldermen R. H. Parthum, Fred H. Eaton, William P. White, Eli Lacaille, Charles H. Choate, Harry B. Lane, Hon. L. P. Collier, Architect William P. Regan, School Committee-men George S. Hyde, M. J. Mahoney, B. P. Cheney, and William Hendry; R. J. Shea, Councilman John Evans, Councilman A. C. Campbell, Principal James B. Horne of the High school, James Flanagan, Councilman H. A. Stead, A. E. Lamprey, Councilman Beedles, Councilman Morgan, School Committee-men Tetreau, William McCarthy, M. J. Sullivan and P. A. McCarthy, and others.

ODD FELLOWS BALL.

Hope lodge, No. 34, I. O. O. F., observed the 33rd anniversary of American Odd Fellowship Wednesday night by a concert and regatta ball at Nevin's Memorial hall. The event proved a pleasant one. There was a good attendance, although the hall was not crowded. From 8 to 9 o'clock the Pentucket orchestra gave a delightful concert consisting of the following numbers:

March, "Regatta." Van Barr Overture, "Barber of Seville." Rossini Allcante, Clarinet solo. Le Theire Mr. Netsch. Selections from Der Freischütz. Von Weber A Spring Morning Serenade. Lacombe

b I Love You. Greig Excerpts from "King Dodo." Luders At nine o'clock the grand march was inaugurated lead by Granville E. Foss, E. G. and Mrs. Helen F. Spooner. They were followed by about 30 couples. Dancing followed until about 2 o'clock. During the evening there was an intermission of 20 minutes for refreshments. The officers in charge comprised the following: Grand conductor, Granville E. Foss, P. G., assistant conductor, Robert Jamieson, Jr., V. G., aids, Edgar C. Blodgett, Harry E. Brown, S. E. Young, Geo. A. Taylor, Henry F. Willett, Clarence Adams; reception committee, Wm. H. Jackson N. G., J. S. Tapley P. G., Geo. O. Marsen P. G., E. J. Castle P. G., Jess J. Prescott P. G., Geo. W. Barnes P. G., D. T. Saunders P. G., E. P. George P. G., Fred M. Swain P. G., Levi U. Lowell, O. A. Peasley, A. N. Russ; committee of arrangements, E. K. Davis P. G., Frank Bower P. G., William Latham P. G., R. Jamieson Jr., Y. G., William Taylor.

HOLDS UP A CONGRESSMAN.

"At the end of the last campaign," writes Champ Clark, Missouri's brilliant Congressman, "from overwork, nervous tension, loss of sleep and constant speaking I had utterly collapsed. It seemed that all the organs in my body were out of order, but three bottles of Electric Bitters made me all right. It's the best all round medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter." Overworked, run down men and weak, sickly women gain splendid health and vitality from Electric Bitters. Try them. Only 50c Guaranteed by Arthur Bliss, druggist.

BIRTHDAY OBSERVED.

A jolly assemblage gathered at the home of Joseph Burnham, Barker street Saturday evening in order to observe the 22nd birthday anniversary of the host. A very pleasant evening was spent by all, social games and musical selections being indulged in. During the evening the host was presented a dress suit case by Charles Herron, in behalf of the large attendance. His presentation remarks were responded to by the recipient in terms of gratitude. A collation was served during the latter part of the evening after which the gathering dispersed to their many homes. Misses Marion Herron and Annie Swindells rendered selections on the piano, and Miss Bertha Derbyshire rendered vocal selections. Among those present were the following: Misses Clara and Bertha Derbyshire, Annie Swindells, Lizzie Perry, Lila Wilkinson, Laura Wilkinson, Edith Morrill, Theresa Morrill, Maude Freeman, Clara Derbyshire, Miss Angiers, Miss Brown, and Messrs. Phillip Moore, Richard Perry, Charles Herron, Ernest Hyde, Bert Lodge, Arthur Abbott, Herbert Burnham, Herbert Davis, Harry Warburton, Fred Buzzell, Wilmont Burnham, Mr. Angiers and others.

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North Andover News.

Ernest Tracy of High street was in Boston Monday.

Miss Mary H. Gillispie is recovering and is now able to sit up some.

Arthur Egle of Belmont street passed Sunday with friends in Boston.

The Eben Sutton S. F. Co. No. 1, was out for the regular practice last Saturday afternoon.

A number of the new Humphrey gas lights have been placed in the Congregational church.

Mrs. E. E. Wheeler of Lowell is a visitor at the residence of Charles W. Hinckman over Sunday.

Charles Daley of Boston is spending a week at the residence of John L. Murphy on Main street.

The Misses Katherine and Mary White were guests at the home of Patrick Gillispie on Thursday.

William C. Bentley of Dorchester was a guest of John J. O'Brien at his home on Cleveland street over Sunday.

There will be a meeting of the Congregational church committee on next Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Mrs. Fred Newey and daughter Lillian of Stevens street will pass Lexington day with friends in Lowell.

Miss Emily Wrigley of Lowell is a guest at the home of William Mackie on Sutton street for a short while.

Mrs. Brush of Boston is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sutcliffe, on Main street.

Miss Margaret McDonald of Sutton street will visit at the residence of her brother in Winchester today and Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Carr and daughter Bertha of High street are visiting with relatives in Portsmouth, N. H., for a few days.

Miss Cora Holden of Waltham passed Sunday in town as the guest of Miss Mary Prescott at her home on High street.

Miss Ethel Park of Greenwood, Mass., is a visitor at the residence of William Bentley on Perry street for a few weeks.

Confirmation services will be held at St. Michael's church on Tuesday evening, May 20, by Archbishop Williams of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Atwood Wagner and son, Ben, of East Water street visited friends in Maiden over Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. George E. Goodwin left Monday for Berwick, Me., where she will visit for a number of weeks at the home of her parents.

The Misses Rita and Catherine McQuade of Lowell were visitors at the residence of Patrick Gillispie on Glenville street, Friday.

Mr. Lake of Windsor, Nova Scotia, a brother of Mrs. Charles W. Hinckman, is a guest at the Hinckman residence, on Belmont street.

Joseph Greenwood of Railroad street is setting up machinery in Cleveland, Ohio. He will probably be gone till the latter part of June.

The Misses Florence and Helen Neil of Lynn have been visiting at the residence of H. W. Flood on Main street for the last few days.

The South Lawrence Crescents defeated the Aetnas of this town by a score of 15 to 5 on the former's grounds last Saturday afternoon.

John S. Eastman and Donald A. Frasier of East Weymouth are passing the week at the residence of Mrs. Ellen Costello on Belmont street.

The work upon the cellar of Mr. Copping's house on Pleasant street is fast nearing completion. Contractor Patrick Hogan is doing the work.

Miss Lillian Tufts has returned to her home in Berwick Branch, Me., after spending a few weeks at the residence of John A. Bedell on High street.

Edward W. A. Holt and C. J. Mahoney students at Harvard Medical and Harvard Law schools respectively, enjoy the ensuing week as a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Goffrey have returned to their home in Candia, N. H., after spending a number of weeks at the home of their son Oscar Goffrey on High street.

Walter H. Paul was the leader of the Epworth League meeting Sunday evening. He also led the prayer meeting at the Methodist church in the absence of Rev. E. K. Ayers who is attending the New England conference in session at Boston.

Mr. George E. Kunhardt is having the John Barker place which he has recently purchased put into thorough repair. The carpenter work is being done by Contractor D. J. Costello and a complete plumbing outfit is being installed by Plumber James W. Leitch.

Considerable trouble was caused the water department Saturday afternoon and Sunday by a bad break in the water main on Sutton street near the residence of John Duffey. Another break has been discovered and attended to in the vicinity of the Charlotte Home back of the pond.

Daniel Donohue has moved with his family to First street.

Smith Brothers moved John Donahue of Dolan court to Beverly street today.

Miss Gertrude Emmett of Main street has returned from a few days visit with relatives in Everett.

The Bradstreet colony of Pilgrim Fathers hold their regular meeting on next Monday evening.

Highway Surveyor William H. Gile has his residence connected by telephone. His number is 724-4.

Miss Viola Mellor of Boston is visiting at the residence of her parents on May street for a few days.

Twelve new Knowles' fancy looms have arrived at the Brightwood Manufacturing company's plant.

The next meeting of the Neighborhood club will be held with Mrs. J. C. Rea on Thursday April 24th.

Arthur Watts of Water street is employed at the dry goods store of R. M. Cross in Lawrence for a few weeks.

Miss Bertha Hammond of Amherst, N. H., is a guest at the residence of Mr. George Looker on Pleasant street.

The Misses Mary and Catherine Donnelly of Sutton street will spend Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Boston.

The Merrimack Grammar school team defeated the Centrals Tuesday afternoon in a practice game by a score of 9 to 1.

Class meetings were held Tuesday evening at the residence of Charles Lee on Sutton street and at the Methodist vestry.

Bartlett Henderson has gone to his home in Maiden after spending a few days at the home of Edward W. A. Holt on Elm street.

Benjamin Briery of Third street, a conductor on the Boston & Maine figured in a slight collision at Salem Depot Tuesday morning.

Dr. McAnally of Boston, a friend of Mr. Charles Daley, also of Boston, is stopping at the residence of Mr. John L. Murphy on Main street for the remainder of the week.

A new book case has been placed in the library room in the Old Fellow's building. The case is larger than any of the others and will accommodate over a thousand books.

The "Tart" club will adjourn at Old Orchard this year. Next Friday Joseph Duncan and Edward W. H. Holt, charter members of the club will make a trip to Old Orchard to secure a cottage.

The Good Templars held their regular meeting Tuesday evening. One candidate was initiated. An invitation was received and accepted from Longfellow lodge for the local lodge to attend their supper next Saturday evening.

The first reception of Harry F. Cunningham's dancing academy to his pupils will be held at Old Fellows hall on Friday evening, May 16th. The Columbia orchestra will furnish music for the occasion. After the reception a car will leave for Methuen.

The subject of the Christian Endeavor and Epworth League meetings for next Sunday evening is "How can I know that I am saved?" John S. 1 John 2:14, Romans 8:16, 1 John 4:7. Miss Alice M. Weston will lead the former and Mrs. John Mellor the latter.

Bert Kelly of High street while at work for James C. Poor a few days ago stepped upon a rolling stone, which precipitated him upon the ground causing a bad sprain to his left knee joint, which is stiff at the present but the doctor announces that it will be all right after a few days.

The Crackerjacks of the Centre will play the Andover Guild team a week from next Saturday on the Centre common. The lineup of the Crackerjacks is as follows: Mackie c, Halliwell lb, John McEvoy p, Driscoll 2b, Casey 3b, Rickford ss, Lawlor cf, Driver lf, and Frank McEvoy cf.

There will be a stereopticon lecture under the auspices of the North Andover Improvement society, Saturday evening, April 20, at 7:30 o'clock, in Stevens hall, by Edwin A. Start, secretary of the Massachusetts Forestry association, subject, "Roadside Improvement." The public is cordially invited and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

John J. Finnegan a local young man, an attendant at the Lawrence High school is among the ten successful students who will declaim at the Valpey Prize Speaking contest to be held in the Lawrence city hall next month. This is an original composition entitled "A Pledge for the Philippines." A large number of John's friends from town will turn out to see him win.

The New England Telegraph and Telephone company has secured the permit to move its poles on Andover street from Mr. Otto Kunhardt's residence to that of Mrs. Hale to the opposite side of the street. This change is made as the Middleton Danvers and Lawrence Street railway which is being built upon this street will interfere with them as they are now.

Social Gatherings.

POVERTY SOSHUL.

At the next meeting of the grange on April 22nd the following program of entertainment will be given:

You are asked to the next Grange meeting, Tuesday evening, April twenty-second. "Come in your rags, come in your rags," but not in velvet gowns, or you will be fined the usual some. Read the program and all kum.

First. Every woman what kums must wear a poverty dress and apron, or something ekely appropriate, an leave her poodle dorg to hum.

Second. Know gent with biled shirt and doud koller will be aloud to kum unless he pays a fine of five cents.

Third. A kompliment komitty will intruduse strangers and look after bashful fellers.

Fines for wimmen—No avern, 1 sent; kid glove, 2 sents; hat with flours, 2 sents; hat with fethers, 2 sents; trimmings, 1 sent; velvet gown, 1 sent; finger ring, 3 sents; glasses, 2 sents; silk dres, 5 sents; wul dres, 3 sents; ornamental halprins, 1 sent; waring new dres, 5 sents; bres pin, 1 sent; puttin on airs, 2 sents.

Fines for men—Blaked butes, 1 sent; wiche not Waterbury, 1 sent; chawing gum, 1 sent; stovepipe hat, 1 sent; stand-up koller, 5 sents; patent leather shoes, 2 sents; fumery, 1 sent; button-whole bokay, 5 sents; glasses, 2 sents; creased trousers, 2 sents; silk ty, 2 sents; making love or flirtn' 2 sents; ruset shoes, 1 sent; making punns, 2 sents.

Vittles—Koffy, 5 sents; ginger kake, 5 sents.

Kum at kandle lightin an stay til bedtime. No obstreperous er bad boys permitted.

The "kompliment komitty" is composed of the Misses Lucy Prescott, Wilbur W. Ward, and Mrs. George Barker.

EPWORTH LEAGUE SUPPER.

The supper and entertainment held in the vestry of the Methodist church Friday evening under the auspices of the Epworth League proved to be a very enjoyable affair. A large number were in attendance, which included both old and young. Early in the evening a very appetizing repast was spread upon the tables, and the guests of the league became soothed and satisfied the cravings of the inner being. Follow-

ing the supper a very fine entertainment was given under the direction of Ellis Glover. The committee who had the affair in charge are due much credit and the supper will no doubt bring satisfactory financial returns.

Ice cream and cake were served in the small vestry under the direction of competent hands. The committee which had the affair in charge is as follows:

Mrs. Ellis Glover, chairman of the social committee of the league, Mrs. E. B. Egle, Mrs. John Mellor, Mrs. John Looker, Mrs. Harry Fenderson and Mrs. Alfred Jenkins. Those who waited upon the tables were the committee and the following: Miss Bertha Hayes, Miss Tina Littlefield, Miss Mary McKeanan, Miss Clara Hayes, Miss Ella Phillips, Mrs. Stevens, Miss Eva Looker, Miss Bertha Hammond, Miss John Mellor, Fred Manchester and James Nelson. The program of the entertainment was as follows:

Piano solo, Arthur Smith of Lawrence. Photograph selections from the machine of Miss Roakes.

Vocal at the bottom of the "Deep-Blue-Sea"—How Fair Art Thou! Mr. Tidstrand of Lawrence.

Piano Duet, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith of Lawrence.

Solo, Miss Mann of Lawrence.

Vocal solo, "Twenty Years Ago," "Boomer, the Bell Boy," Wm. Smith.

SUPPER AND ENTERTAINMENT.

The Rescue lodge of Good Templars conducted a very successful bean supper and entertainment Saturday evening in the banquet hall of the Old Fellows hall. The affair was well attended by both local persons and by visitors from out of town a large delegation being present from Longfellow lodge of Haverhill. After the supper which was a most excellent one had been served and the tables and dishes had been cleared away a fine entertainment was given talent from Haverhill and other places assisting. James C. Craig acted as master of ceremonies.

The program of entertainment was as follows: Remarks, Mr. Craig; auto harp selections, Miss Eva Looker; recitation, Grace Looker; encore, Grace Looker; song, Miss Nellie Kershaw; recitations, Mr. Boadie, Haverhill; songs, John Wilson; harmonica solos, Miss Harmon; song, Miss Bertha Hayes; recitation, Miss Eva Looker; song, Miss Nellie Kershaw; solo, John Wilcox; recitation, Mr. Boadie; graphophone selections, W. S. Bentley.

During the supper hour the kitchen was in charge of Mrs. William Bentley and the nearest Benford, Alfred Kershaw, and Fred Willis. Those who waited upon the tables were: Miss Ethel Park, Miss Nellie Kershaw, Miss Eva Looker. Albert Knowles had the sale of the tickets in charge. Those present from Haverhill were the following: Misses Johanna Deacon, Miss Alma Deacon, Miss Hattie Weber, William Grey, William Tidridge, William H. Williams, Albert Durgin, Fred Howarth, Past Chief Templar William Brodie, Fred Willey, Charles Bell and Freeman Crossley. The committee who made the arrangements and had charge of this most successful affair was as follows: Mrs. William Bentley, chairman, Miss Nellie Kershaw, Mrs. Alfred Knowles, Alfred Kershaw and Mrs. Alfred Watts.

SURPRISE PARTY

A very enjoyable surprise party was held last Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mr. Ezra Oates in the Kimball district. The surprise was upon their daughter, Miss Daisy Oates. A number of her friends and schoolmates had invited to be in attendance and to help make merry. The party was held from 2 till 6 o'clock in the afternoon and during that time the highest merriment reigned. Games appropriate to the occasion and play to the young people were indulged in and a general good time was the result. Miss Maud Pond entertained by a number of organ selections which were very well received. During the afternoon a very choice collation was served by the hostess. Those present were Misses Maud Pond, Mary Whitaker, Helen Stevens, Annie Whitaker, Myrtle Holwell, Masters Joseph Crockett, Orlando Abbott and William Whitaker, Jr.

Harry F. Cunningham's banding school was well attended Tuesday evening. Charles Daley of Boston, who is visiting in town presided at the piano in the absence of William J. Lynch who was unable to be present. The next banding session will be given on Thursday evening April 24. The Enterpe orchestra will furnish music.

Weddings.

RENNIE-SHEARER.

A very prettily home wedding took place Wednesday evening, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shearer on Lawrence street, when their daughter, Miss Susan Shearer, was united in marriage to John Rennie, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Rennie of Marblehead street. The marriage vows were taken at the hour of 7:30, Rev. Henry E. Barnes of the Congregational church being the officiating clergyman. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a host of friends and relatives who were present from Providence, R. I., Portsmouth, N. H., Chelmsford, Andover, Lawrence and from town. The bride was attended by Miss Sadie Redmond of South Chelmsford, and Wallace Rennie, a brother of the groom, attended as best man. The parlor of the Shearer residence, where the ceremony was performed, was beautifully decorated with palms and potted plants. The whole being given a most artistic touch by the introduction of the twining smilax. The bride was prettily attired in a gown of white silk with pearl trimmings and duchess lace. She carried a bride's bouquet of white roses. The bride's maid was most becomingly attired in a costume of white muslin, trimmed with white silk ribbon and lace. She carried a bouquet of pink roses. The wedding party entered the parlor to the enchanting strains of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March," rendered by John Hulme of Lawrence.

Following the ceremony a most bountiful wedding repast was served by Caterer Lane of Lawrence. A reception was given to the happy couple by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shearer, the parents of the bride. The guests were most highly entertained by musical selections, Mr. Hulme with piano selections. The couple were the recipients of a large number of beautiful and costly wedding presents which consisted of cut glass, bric-a-brac and useful presents. After a short wedding journey the happy couple will reside for a short time with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shearer on Lawrence street.

GROGAN-CAMPBELL.

Daniel J. Grogan, the well known local contractor residing on Second street was united in marriage with Miss Mary E. Campbell of Dorchester Wednesday afternoon. The wedding took place at Dorchester, the home of the bride; the ceremony was performed at St. Margaret's church by Rev. Fr. William E. Ryan, at 3:30 o'clock. The groom was attended by Thomas Mayhew of Lawrence as best man and Miss Beatrice Hawkes of Dorchester was in attendance as bridesmaid. The nuptial services were attended by only the immediate families of the bride and bridegroom. A reception was given from 4 o'clock till 8 at the home of the bride's uncle, at 24 Grant street, Dorchester.

After a short wedding journey the happy couple will take up their residence in the cottage recently built by Mr. Grogan off Second street.

So. Groveland, 14; Blue Stock'gs, 5

The Blue Stockings were again defeated last Saturday afternoon by a team from South Groveland team who were much older and heavier than the Blues. A number of the team were New England league players and their first base man was a number of years ago captain of the Holt Cross varsity team. The Blues put up a good game against such odds. Ernest Johnson and John Duane acted as umpires. The lineup of the teams was: South Groveland—McGlinley ss, Shannahan lb, Day 2b, David Mackie cf, Willis 2b, J. Cook p, McCaffrey c, Earley cf, Robins and Cook rf. Blue Stockings—Healey lf, F. Mackie rf, Capt. Greenwood cf, Smith 2b, Anderson ss, Hargreaves 2b, D. Geaney 1st b, Manager Clements p, Manchester c, Ernest Tracey acted as score keeper.

CHARITABLE UNION WHIST PARTY.

The Charitable Union conducted a very successful whist party at its rooms in the Centre Monday evening. There was a large attendance of members and their friends, there being 50 persons in all in attendance. Twelve tables were set for the perusal of the pastime and it was with closely contested honors that the winners were declared. During the evening a light course of refreshments was served by members of the Union. The committee who had the party in charge was a general one consisting of all those of the Union who wished to help in making the arrangements. The winners of the first favors were Mr. John Burnham and Mrs. George Burnham, those who secured the second were Miss Foster and Miss Sterns.

UNFORTUNATE ACCIDENT.

A bad accident occurred Saturday morning at Sutton's mills about 9:30 o'clock. Hiram Straker, employed at the plant as machinist and carpenter was at work on the circular saw when he caught his thumb on his left hand in the saw, nearly severing that member from the hand close up to the palm. The wound was dressed temporarily at the mill and the patient was immediately taken to the Lawrence Emergency hospital where the cut was dressed by expert medical attendance.

Albert Moody the Main street doctor, was in Boston, Wednesday, on business.

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ANDOVER LOCALS

The funeral services over the remains of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Stephen of Cuba street were held last Friday afternoon, and were conducted by Rev. F. A. Wilson. Many beautiful floral gifts were sent by loving friends, and included sprays from Mrs. Canfield, Harold and Marion Saunders, Mrs. Frank Foster and the Howell family, and the Indian Ridge Mothers' club; a casket wreath from Miss A. M. Cochran of Lynn, and bouquets from Miss Helen Keane and Wm. M. Coutts.

ABBOTT VILLAGE.

A social and "ladies' night," held by the Burns club at Abbott Village hall last Saturday evening, was largely attended and it proved to be a time of rare enjoyment. The occasion was in charge of a competent committee who arranged that everyone should have a good time. During the evening a host of Robert Burns was presented to the club from Alexander Dick, Cuba street. The bust is a large and splendid one and will make a valuable addition to the adornment of the hall.

FRYE VILLAGE.

The vicinity of Simpson's bridge on the Lawrence side has been improved by the erection of a low stone wall composed of rough rocks of irregular sizes. Small trees at frequent intervals have also been planted opposite Messrs. Curran and Joyce's residence and William M. Woods.

Mrs. J. W. Churchill of Providence, R. I. and Lieut. Marlborough Churchill of Fort McHenry, Maryland, have been visiting at the residence of Joseph W. Smith, Frye Village.

Frank Archer of Boston, spent Thursday night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dodson, Haverhill street.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Court of Land Registration.

To Franklin Snow, Gordon C. Cannon, W. W. Cropley and Charles E. Brant, of Andover, in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth, Lutter S. Long, of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth, and Horatio Merrill and Sarah W. Merrill, formerly of Cambridge, and said Commonwealth, or their heirs, devisees or legal representatives, and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court by Evangeline S. Adams, of said Boston to register and confirm her title in the following-described land: A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Salem street, so called, in the South Parish of said Andover, comprising one acre and hundred rods of land more or less, bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning on the Northeastly side of said Salem street at a post in the fence there running by land late of S. Richardson deceased, as the wall stands North 65 East twenty-four rods and twenty-two links to the corner of the wall and lot of Era Hammond; thence by the last named land as the wall stands South 32 East three rods and ten links to the corner of the wall and lot of late of John C. Farham; thence by the last named land as the wall stands South 32 West twenty-three links, South 33 East about ten rods South 45 East West twenty rods and four links to said Salem street; thence by Street Northwesterly eleven rods and ten links to the bound first mentioned.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Court of Land Registration, to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the twelfth day of May, A. D. 1902, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your title will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or said land entered thereon.

Your appearance and answer, if provided, may be filed with Arctas E. Nichols, Assistant Recorder of said Court at the Registry of Deeds at Lawrence in said County of Essex. Witness, Leonard A. Jones, Esq., Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of April, the year nineteen hundred and one.

Attest with seal of said Court, CLARENCE A. SMITH, Register.

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